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Enclosed are:

- [X] Specification, Claim(s), and Abstract (16 pages).
- [X] Formal drawings (3 Sheets, Figures 1-3).
- [X] Unexecuted Declaration and Power of Attorney (3 pages).
- [X] Claim for Convention Priority and Priority Document.
- [X] Application Data Sheet (37 CFR 1.76) (2 pages).

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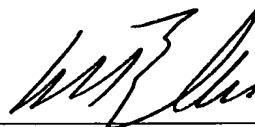
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